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#### Weather Indications.

For the Middle Atlantic States, sta-tionary or higher barometer and temperature, southerly winds, and partly cloudy weather.

#### SOCIAL GOSSIP-

Col. and Mrs. Rogers, with their chil-dren, are at Altoona, Pa., where the invigorating air has already produced a change for the better in the Colonel; he was quite ill before he left the city, suffering from an acute attack of malarial

Mr. and Mrs. Merrick have returned to their country seat in Maryland after several weeks spent at Mt. Desert. Their home is a large old-fashioned double stone house, surrounded by century old trees, with a wide lawn infront, beauti-fully kept, and dotted here and there with parterres of exquisite bloom

En route for home Mr. and Mrs. Merrick visited Gov. Tilden at his bome on Staten Island.

Mr. Thomas Sherman arrived in New York last Monday from Kurope, and came at once to the city, where he is the guest of his father, the General, at their home on Fifteenth street. The meeting, as may be imagined after a two years' absence, was a very happy one, and the young scholastic has spent the several days of his stay in making a round of visits with the General, calling on their relatives and personal friends.

To-day they left, accompanied by Miss Rachel Sherman, to join Mrs. Sherman and the rest of the family at Altona, whence, after a few days, they will all start for a tour of the lakes.

Mrs. Miller has the warm sympathy of a host of friends, who share in her anxiety about her husband. His accident, which might heve been so fatal, has proven less serious than was at first feared, and although very severe, his injuries are of a nature which his fine physique and strong constitution will nable him to overcome

Mrs. Wheelan and her daughters are summering near Leesburg, in Loudon county; their pleasant circle has been brightened during the past days by the presence of Miss Burr, their charming and accomplished young guest.

The death of Gen. Albert Myer, U. S. A., was a great shock to his many friends; his health had been failing for some time past, but such a result was totally unexpected. He was a brave officer, a scientist, a devoted husband and father, a genial host, a true friend and a pleasant companion, and all who knew him unite in regretting the loss of one who filled so well Life's best roles. His death was untimely, for, though the measure of his work and its results was filled to overflowing, his years were in their noon time, and the service and society mourn his loss.

Every sympathy is extended to his widow and children, whose once happy home is now so desolate.

Mrs. Henry and her daughters are spending the month of August at New-

Judge and Mrs. Wilson and their piquante daughter are spending the season at Saratoga.

Mr. and Madame Yoshida, with their children, are finishing the season at Deal Beach, N. J.;

Admiral and Mrs. Scott are enjoying the refreshing, cooling and romantic scenery of Delaware Water Gap, at the Kittatinny House, which is situated near the brawling water course which tumbles with a great dash and roar one hundred and sixty-five feet into the Delaware.

the Russian Princess Dora d'Istria, a lady of fine ilterary acquirements, who is described as being about fifty, stout, and of marked personal beauty. The princess was for a short time the guest of Mrs. Dr. Oliver, of Swampscott, at whose house the poet Longfellow, Pields, and other literary celebrities visited her. She dined with Longfellow at Nahant a short time since, and refers with great pleasure to a new poem which he recited pleasure to a new poem which he recited to her on the occasion.

The Counters von Hatzfeld, whose moble husband has so recently consented to, and some say even procured a di-vorce from her to obtain promotion at vorce from her to obtain promotion at the Imperial Court of Gormany, is an American lady, the daughter of Madame Hegeman-Lindecrone, wife of the Baron von Hegeman-Lindecrone, the Danish Minister to Washington, by her first marriage with Mr. Charles Moulton, of Albany, N. Y. The cause of this di-vorce has placed the Count von Hatzfield in an unenviable, and to our American-thinking, contemptible position in the eyes of the world, and suggests the idea that it would be a good thing if some of those senseless, musty regulations of those senseless, musty regulations of caste at the court of the old world were abolished, as the present case is simply due to the fact that the grandmother of the lovely, virtuous and accomplished lady, was on the paternal side, a music teacher and an actress. The severe ideas of the present Empress of Germany has arbitrarily made connection with the stage either directly or through being related to any one who has ever performed in public, fatal to favor at performed in public, fatal to favor at Court, consequently the Count von the Sunday Herald, Gazette, Fost and Capitatzfeld has put aside his wife rather tal, tone up your stomachs with a dessert

on that condition only was accessible to him. The divorced lady was educated with great care in Paris, where her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moulton, resided, and being noted for her grace and accomplishments, attracted the ad-miration of the German Ambassador, Count von Hatzfeld, who proposed, and the marriage took place at Paris in

Appropose of marriages abroad, a friend, Capt. ———, of the U. S. Navy, travelling on "leave," met his fate in the American Colony at Paris; sued, won and wished to marry the fair object of his choice there and then, but the official scale in the contract of the choice there are the contract of the choice there are the contract of the choice there are the contract of the contract of the choice there are the contract of the choice there are the contract of the choice there are the choice the choice there are the choice the cial preliminaries by French law estab-lished were found to present such de-lays as astonished them, one of the de-mands being certificates and dates of birth, baptism, and marriage of their great grand parents, the same of their grand parents, also of their parents, and certifleates of their own birth and baptism, all fo which could have been in the course of months secured, but it seemed to our American lovers to be such a piece of absurd and unnecessary delay that, accompanied by the mother and slater of the bride, they went to England, where in the old London Church of St. Paneras the "twain were made one," and re-turned forthwith to Paris, and from thence to summer in the German Tyrol. It will be well for our American girls who have Europe and titles on the brain, to hunt up family reconds and genealogical data before they set off for foreign lands. It may save a world of trouble to have such documents on hand.

Lieut, Hazlett, U. S. N., who has been absent on sick leave for some months, has returned to the city much improved by mountain air and rest, and as may be supposed, warmly welcomed by his numerous friends.

"The Ladies of the White House" is the title of a book lately contributed to our literature by Miss M. C. Helloway, who in revising, has added sketches of Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Hayes.

Still another American beauty abroad This distinction was conferred on Mrs. Deacon-who was thought at home to be Deacon—who was thought at home to be a remarkably handsome woman—at a dance given by Lord and Lady Hartington the other evening in London. The Price of Wales, the best natured fellow alive, admired her, and Mrs. Deacon had the honor of a special introduction to His Highness. Since when she is stamped a beauty.

As an off set to the above the English papers tell us that the marriage of the Baroness Burdette-Coutts, the richest woman in the world, and a public bene-factor, humano, generous and benevo-lent, was expected three days ago at the Savoy Chapel. An immense crowd assembled, which was so uproarious that it had to be dispersed by the police, amid greans for the Baroness, who would have been petted in true British tashion had she appeared. They think the match she's going to make is unsuitable, she being old enough to be grandmother of the young gentleman she intends to honor. There's a talk that she won't do it after all.

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A Blacksmith on the Ram-

Swampscott has a notability at present who will visit Washington later on, Quill went on a big spree last night and the Russian Princess Dora d' Istria, a made a desperate assault on his landmade a desperate assault on his land-lady, Mrs. Menahan, who lives on Massa-chusetts avenue, near First street. He choked her and then threw a lighted herosene lamp at her. The lamp struck her on the chin, making an ugly out, but there was no explosion. The neigh-hers interfered and out of the bors interfered and put Quill out of the house, but he returned soon after and renewed the assault. Mrs. Monahan's son went to her defence and was also badly beaten. Sergeant Broanan and two other officers went after Quill and managed to lodge him in the station house after a desperate resistance. La-ter in the evening, when he had nober-ed up, he was released on \$20 collateral. He did not answer when the case was called in the Police Court to-day and his collateral was forfeited.

> The Rifle Match in Baltimore. Columbia Long-Range Rifle Club have selected their team to compete with teams of Maryland Rifle Club, at Patapaco Range near Baltimore this af-ternoon. Messra Ben Chambers, A. A. Adee, Chas. H. Lacid and P. J. Laurit-zen will shoot over the six hundredyard range. The same gentlemen, with Col. J. O. P. Burnside and L. T. E. R. Hubbard will compose the team to shool over the two hundred-yard range. Both teams had practice shots this afternoon and made very sine scores. The match will be a friendly contest, the invita-tion having been sent by the Maryland Club.

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